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DON'T FAIL TO SEE THE NEW EMBROIDERIES

AGGIES DECISIVELY BEATEN

Cornhuskers Pound Ames Five from Every Angle.

FINAL SCORE SIXTEEN TO THREE

Nebraska Plays High Grade Game, Outdribbling and Outpassing the Farmer Boys from Iowa.

AMES, Ia., Feb. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Ames was beaten decisively this afternoon by the Nebraska Cornhuskers, who concluded their bill of two games on the state gym court by gathering up the big end of a 16 to 3 score.

The first half closed with the score 8 to 1 in favor of Nebraska, Ames landing the lone point by Swiney, forward, dumping through the hoop for the only successful basket made from the foul line during the whole game.

Ames scored her only field basket in the last session when Holmes, center, got one through the ring as in the game yesterday which was Nebraska's, 15 to 2. Every Nebraska man had a part in the scoring except that Rutherford did not score today.

Nebraska simply had it on Ames both in the aggressive and defensive phases of the game. The Cornhuskers played a high grade of basket ball, but it was not so high buy the Cyclones could have done a lot more scoring if they could have mustered the speed displayed against the championship Grinnell quintet.

NINTH ANNUAL MOTOR CAR SHOW OPEN MONDAY

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be Tuesday night. On that night there will be a band and an orchestra and they will play continually.

To Show All Cars.

That the show this year will be bigger and better than any previous show is assured. This year every dealer in the city joined the association so that there is not a car handled in Omaha which will not be displayed in some booth at the big event.

All of the exhibits this year have special exhibits which they secured from the factories. Many of the exhibits shown at the national shows at New York and Chicago have been shipped to Omaha intact. All displays will include a standard stock touring car of the latest model in addition to special displays of fancy roadsters, speed cars and the like. Most of the exhibits will include an open chassis with running engine for the investigation of those who desire to learn the intricacies of motor machinery.

Trucks in Basement.

In the basement the largest display of trucks ever promulgated in Omaha will be held. The entire basement has been contracted for so that there will not be an atom of space unoccupied. Previous to this year there has always been room left over in the basement.

The motorcycle exhibit will occupy the balcony corridor. Half a dozen brands of motorcycles and a cyclecar will attract attention toward that division of the exhibition.

Already visitors are flocking into the city while traveling representatives of firms and factory experts and heads have been here for several days making final arrangements. The show has been given more acknowledgement by the manufacturers this year than before and that is the perfect criterion of success in the motor world today.

HYMNEAL

Kelley-Burns.
TUCUMSEH, Neb., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Miss Ella Doloris Burns and James P. Kelley, well known young people of this community, were married at St. Andrew's Catholic church, at 8:30, Thursday morning. Father Thomas Barden officiated. The bride was attended by Miss Lucy Kelley, a sister of the groom, and P. S. Burns, a brother of the bride, was best man.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

Department Orders.

Nebraska pensions granted: Mary J. Lann, Juniata, 11; Serena Steinmetz, Edmott, 11.

The following Wyoming postmasters were appointed: Arapahoe, Fremont county, Charles H. Keeler, vice John C. Burnett; Armitage, Natrona county, Joseph L. Marquis, new postoffice; Dixon, Carbon county, Ora G. Wren, vice Abbie L. Toole; Horton, Weston county, Claude L. Rush, vice N. L. Rush; Humboldt, Crook county, Inez T. Chittim, vice Elmore Engle, resigned; Hyattville, Big Horn county, Selma C. Pritchard, vice E. E. Plaster, Lenore, Fremont county, Frank Sandell, Jr., vice William A. Hayes, resigned; Rock River, Albany county, James Ross Kelley, vice G. W. Kephart.

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HOWARD AND SIXTEENTH STREETS

THE PRESENT SELECTION here of Spring Fashions is equal to the display usually made just before Easter, and includes many exclusive models and materials of which there is but one of a kind.

Therefore, it is none too early to choose styles for Spring, in fact, there are decided advantages in making selections now from this distinguished collection of the new modes.

Tailored and Semi-Tailored Suits
Afternoon and Evening Gowns
Limousine, Travel and Sport Coats
Exquisite hand-made Blouses

NEW SILKS ARE ARRIVING EVERY DAY

OFFICIAL VERSION OF BENTON'S DEATH IS AT WASHINGTON

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Benton "was murdered like a dog," was read in the senate today at the request of Senator Fall. He also had read a telegram from the El Paso mass meeting.

"I am almost certain Villa did it in person," said the telegram from Dudley. "No evidence that Benton was the aggressor," added the Dudley telegram. "Everything shows it cold-blooded murder. Castillo, a guest of our government with safety from punishment. Villa boasting of his crime. Is there no protection anywhere? El Paso full of rebel officers. The business affairs of the rebellion openly done here. Watchful waiting a failure."

Villa Quotes United States Law.

Later today Villa telegraphed Pequotiers as follows: "The attention of the commanding general of the division of the north having been drawn to the published reports in respect to the recent execution of William S. Benton, he desires it known that the action of the authorities in that case was entirely justified by the law and usages war."

"Under article 84 of general order 100, for the government of the United States in the field, it is provided that 'armed provokers,' who come within the line of the army of occupation with hostile intent are not entitled to the privileges of prisoners of war."

"Article 85 provides that persons within occupied territory who employ violence toward the established authorities are subject to the penalty of death, whether they arise singly or in number."

"There is absolutely no doubt but what Benton, a Huronite sympathizer and a murderer of Mexican citizens, deliberately attempted an act of violence against the person and life of the commanding general and for that reason it was said under the law and usages of war, he was tried by a military tribunal, constituted for that purpose and executed, pursuant to its sentence, a proceeding sustained by American and European precedents."

Jackson Hangs Two Britons.
"General Jackson in 1858 hung two British subjects, Arbutnot and Ambriester, for having given alien sympathy

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to hostile Indians in Florida. General Butler hung Mumford at New Orleans in 1862 for merely hauling down an American flag from over the custom house and two years later Kennedy was hung by the United States military authorities at New York because of his complicity in a plot to set fire to that city.

"What was justifiable under martial law in the United States then is certainly justifiable under martial law in Mexico now. The fact that Benton was a British subject has no bearing on the legal aspects of the case, as under international law the alien is as amenable to martial law as is a citizen."

The British ambassador has transmitted to his government without comment the information from Secretary Bryan that Benton was executed by decree of a court-martial, and as far as can be learned the embassy here will take no further action in the case pending the receipt of instructions from the foreign office or some communication from the State department calling for an answer.

BRITISH PRESS MAKES COMMENT

Standard and Globe Hint at International Action.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The British government up to noon today had not taken any action in regard to the execution at Juarez of William S. Benton, the Scotch ranchman, beyond instructing Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, British ambassador at Washington, to obtain from Secretary Bryan all possible information on the affair.

Although the treaty has created a sensation throughout the British Isles, it has not aroused any disposition on the part of responsible members of the British government to change their policy in regard to Mexico.

The members of the British government consider that the recognition of the constitutionalists as belligerents would be a mistake.

The Evening Standard says: "The execution of Benton emphasizes the fact that some kind of international compulsion will soon be necessary to stop Mexico from wallowing in this city of corruption and cruelty."

The Globe, after asking what is going to happen in case investigation proves the guilt of Villa, says: "The United States has not only the responsibility involved in its assertion of the Monroe doctrine, but the responsibility of having supplied Villa and the rebels with arms, thereby promoting the lawlessness which has had such serious results for British lives and interests. President Wilson has gone too far to shrink from going farther."

HURTZA ORGANS HORRIFIED

Conflict Between London and Washington Officials Predicted.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 21.—The story of the execution of William S. Benton by the rebel, Villa, is displayed today under large type headlines in all the Spanish and English newspapers.

El Imperial labels it "the new assassination, which has horrified even the dupes captained by the execrable bandit." It declares that Villa killed Benton in cold blood, afterward ordering a fictitious court-martial in order to cover his act of murder.

El Pais predicts that the affair will provoke conflict between the chancelleries of London and Washington.

El Independiente refers to the crime as having been committed with "all the refinements of cruelty."

The leaders of the British colony here are contemplating calling a mass meeting of British residents to make representations on the subject and to demand from their government more adequate protection for their countrymen residing in rebel territory.

The affair is widely discussed in the federal capital and has caused expressions of indignation on all sides.

HAWKEYE MOOSERS

PROGRESS BACKWARD

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dence the bull moosers have themselves been furnishing as to their motives and plans. They have an arrangement so that here at the state capital, at least, they have a well recognized organ of publicity through which they seek to reach the people. They have been well supplied with funds from some source and are able to get abundant newspaper space, which they use without stint.

Their first conference, the one in January, was addressed by two or three state leaders and by two men from New York City, two from Illinois, one from Colorado and some other outsiders. It did not escape attention that each and every one of these except one of the state leaders dealt almost entirely with the alleged defection of Senator Cummins from progressivism, and they all with one accord berated him, ridiculed him, called in question his sincerity and more than one indulged in gross misrepresentations of him. The one who didn't attack him is an avowed candidate for the bull moose nomination for the senate.

away from the democratic candidate. Yet it is a fact, as close observers have concluded, that the field for proslavery is better among the 'progressive democrats' just now than among the 'progressive republicans.' The latter will stick a great deal closer to Cummins than the former will stick to the kind of a man the democratic machine will pick to oppose Cummins."

The fact seems to be that, by their moose movement, the organizers of the bull moose movement in Iowa, at this time at least, have in mind that all they want to do in Iowa is to help the democrats carry the state, believing that in the wreck of the republican party, if they can accomplish it they will be able to establish themselves in power. And the main springs for their base in Wall street are alleged to have their headquarters in the light of this revolution Iowa has already given warning that the whole movement is to be rejected this year and finally.

INTER-COUNTY Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE IN SAC CITY

SAC CITY, Ia., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The intercounty Young Men's Christian association conference of older boys opened last night in Sac City with eighty-five delegates present outside of Sac City, representing associations in Green, Calhoun, Pocahontas, Buena Vista, O'Brien and the counties of the Marquette Episcopal church, which was attended by 150 men and boys and which included a program of lectures by the various county secretaries or their assistants, an address was given by Rev. Howard Hansen of Des Moines on "The Price of Excellence."

Officers for the conference were elected as follows:

Chairman, Robert Aborn of Sheldon, O'Brien county; vice chairman, Chas. Welch of Marathon, Buena Vista county; secretary, Dewitt McIntyre of Pocahontas, Pocahontas county.

The remaining program will include addresses by Leonard Paulson of Des Moines, state boys' secretary, Rev. C. E. Crane of Rockwell City, Dr. E. H. Crane of Osceola and E. C. Wolcott of Sioux City. The conference will close this evening.

DEATH RECORD.

O. P. Guffey.
SHELTON, Neb., Feb. 21.—A telegram was received here announcing the death at Sutherland, Neb., of O. P. Guffey. Mr. Guffey was for many years a prominent business man of Shelton, being interested in a large store here and also having bought a cattle ranch near Sutherland, which he and three sons managed until his present sickness compelled him to cease work. He was a charter member of Phoenix lodge, Ancient Order United Workmen, and Buffalo camp, Modern Woodmen of America, both of Shelton.

Manchester Banker Dead.
HINSDALE, Feb. 21.—M. F. Leroy, member of the Iowa legislature, banker and attorney of Manchester, Ia., died last night at the Hinsdale sanitarium from erysipelas. Mr. Leroy left his home Tuesday for Chicago, where he expected to be treated for the grip. On the way erysipelas developed. He was 64 years old, and was commander of the Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias of Iowa. He left a widow and three children.

Ed Adams.
EDGAR, Neb., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Ed Adams, engineer at the city electric light plant, who was found there in an unconscious condition last Monday morning, died at the home of his brother, Theodore Adams, this morning. Pneumonia had set in, and weakened by years of sickness, he was not able to withstand the attack. Funeral services were conducted at the home Saturday afternoon.

Henry Carver.
MCCOOK, Neb., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Henry Carver, one of the prominent and early settlers of Coleman precinct, Red Willow county, passed away yesterday morning, after a long illness, at his farm northwest of this city.

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